

# Monthly Newsletter



## ESCAMBIA COUNTY DISTRICT 4



JANUARY 2026

### January: When Winter Invites Us to Pause Purpose Leads the Way

I am honored to recognize the incredible progress made by Escambia County EMS in 2025.

Under the leadership of Dr. Benjamin Abo, updated resuscitation protocols led to a dramatic increase in cardiac arrest survival, with ROSC rates rising to 43.4% from 9.2%—a powerful testament to training, innovation, and teamwork.

This year, EMS responded to 93,000+ calls, including 5,269 pediatric emergencies, performed 1,269 critical airway interventions, and completed nearly 2,000 hours of medical training. These efforts translate directly into lives saved and a stronger community.

I also met with Pam Childers, Clerk of Court, to discuss discretionary and community support fund spending.

Guided by constituent feedback and a fiscally conservative approach, I will prioritize funding for county projects only.

If you have a neighborhood association meeting you'd like me to attend, please let me know. You can reach us at [district4@myescambia.com](mailto:district4@myescambia.com).

*Ashlee Hofberger*

### Community Conversations

Friday, January 30th

Women In Business  
Coffee  
8:30-9:30AM

418 W Garden St

Monday,  
February 9th

9AM

Virtual  
\*Link To Come